

## Milestone of Discipleship

### Faithfulness

“If you are not firm in faith, you will not be firm at all.” (Is 7:9)

Faith-full-ness: Living in the state of full trust/allegiance to God.

The armor of God consists of the helmet of \_\_\_\_\_, the belt of \_\_\_\_\_ the breast-plate of \_\_\_\_\_, feet shod with the \_\_\_\_\_, the sword of the spirit which is the \_\_\_\_\_ and the shield of \_\_\_\_\_ (Ephesians 6:10-18).

By the time the milestone of faithfulness is reached, the disciple has sufficient knowledge and understanding of God’s Word, and they are equipped to be holy by walking in righteousness.

They know what to believe, they know how to be, now it’s time to disciple them to what to be \_\_\_\_\_.

So, what are we supposed to be about? “We are supposed to be about what the Lord is about.”

So, when a believer’s life is *about* all those things, we can say that they are \_\_\_\_\_.

What’s the opposite of faithfulness?

What causes that?

What do we mean when we say that man has been “unfaithful” to his wife? *Adulterer*.

Which Old Testament book uses the image of adultery to describe Israel’s unfaithfulness to God?

So then, faithlessness is when a person begins to drift from their allegiance to God and eventually will find allegiance in \_\_\_\_\_.

An important question for your disciple:

Examples:

How can we tell when something we enjoy has become a rival for our faithfulness?

What is an important discipline in a believer's life that will guard them from that kind of drift?

The best method for addressing these topics with your disciples is by \_\_\_\_\_ conversation.

Matthew 18:21-35